IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S.SIRI JAGAN

MONDAY, THE 9TH JULY 2007 / 18TH ASHADHA 1929

WP(C).No. 20916 of 2007(M)

PETITIONER:

MARYKUTTY JOSEPH, ALUNKAL HOUSE,
ANICKAD EAST P.O., KOTTAYAM.

BY ADV. SRI.I.DINESH MENON

RESPONDENTS:

1. THE TRANSPORT COMMISSIONER,
   TRANSPORT BHAVAN, TRIVANDRUM.

2. THE DEPUTY TRANSPORT COMMISSIONER,
   CENTRAL ZONE, ERNAKULAM.

3. THE REGIONAL TRANSPORT OFFICER/TAXATION
   OFFICER, KOTTAYAM.

BY G.P. I.V.PRAMOD.

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 09/07/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

S.SIRI JAGAN, J.

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W.P.(C).No.20916 of 2007

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Dated this the 9th day of July, 2007

J U D G M E N T

Against Ext.P4 order of the Deputy Transport Commissioner, Central Zone-II, Ernakulam, rejecting the petitioner's appeal against the order demanding tax on his vehicle, the petitioner has filed Ext.P7 revision before the Transport Commissioner along with a petition for stay. The petitioner seeks disposal of Ext.P7 and stay of recovery of the disputed tax, pending disposal of the revision.

2. I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner as also the learned Government Pleader.

3. When the petitioner has moved a stay petition in the revision as early as on 30.5.2007, it is only proper that the 1st respondent considers the same and passes appropriate orders. Accordingly, the writ petition is disposed of directing the 1st respondent to consider the stay

petition, accompanying Ext.P7 revision petition, and pass appropriate orders thereon expeditiously. Till orders are passed on the stay petition, there would be a stay of recovery of the disputed tax.

Writ petition is disposed of as above.

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sdk+ S.SIRI JAGAN, JUDGE

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P.A. to Judge.